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118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. CROW introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee
on _____

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Stopping Hidden In-
3 terests and Non-disclosure in Elections Act” or the
4 “SHINE Act”.

5 **SEC. 2. REQUIRING POLITICAL COMMITTEES TO FILE SEPA-**
6 **RATE REPORTS FOR CONTRIBUTIONS RE-**
7 **CEIVED FEWER THAN 20 DAYS BEFORE ELEC-**
8 **TION IN WHICH COMMITTEE MAKES CON-**
9 **TRIBUTIONS OR EXPENDITURES ON BEHALF**
10 **OF A CANDIDATE OR POLITICAL PARTY.**

11 (a) REQUIREMENT.—Section 304(a)(6)(A) of the
12 Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (52 U.S.C.
13 30104(a)(6)(A)) is amended by striking the first sentence
14 and inserting the following: “Each committee (other than
15 a committee of a political party) shall notify the Commis-
16 sion in writing of any contribution of \$1,000 or more re-
17 ceived by the committee after the 20th day, but more than
18 48 hours before, any election in which the committee
19 makes a contribution to, or expenditure (including an
20 independent expenditure) or electioneering communication
21 (as defined in subsection (f)) on behalf of or in opposition
22 to, a candidate or political committee of a political party
23 in such election.”.

24 (b) REGULATIONS.—Not later than 90 days after the
25 date of the enactment of this Act, the Federal Election
26 Commission shall promulgate such regulations as may be

1 necessary to carry out the amendment made by subsection
2 (a).

3 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
4 subsection (a) shall apply with respect to elections occur-
5 ring after the expiration of the 48-hour period which be-
6 gins on the date of the enactment of this Act, without re-
7 gard to whether or not the Federal Election Commission
8 has promulgated regulations to carry out such amend-
9 ment.